Deputationists in the National Institute of Health and Family Welfare

4121. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a large number of officers from various Ministries/Departments are at present on deputation to the National Institute of Healh and Family Welfare, New Delhi;

(b) if so, the details of such officers and since when they are on deputation;

(c) the number of times extensions were granted to those deputationists and the reasons therefor;

(d) whether it is a fact that the said officers have been assigned administrative powers; if so what are the reasons therefor; and

(e) whether Government propose to withdraw such power and send them back to their parent officers; if so, by when and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (KUMARI SAROJ KHAPARDE): (a) No, Sir. There are only two officers on deputation in the National Institute of Health & Family Welfare, New Delhi.

(b) Shri Bhagat Singh, Under Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture as Deputy Director (Admn.) since 1-11-1983.

(ii) Shri P. D. Kulkarni, Vallabhai Patel Chest Institute, Delhi as Programmer since 13-8-1987.

(c) Shri Bhagat Singh was granted extensions five times in public interest with the approval of the Competent Authority as admissible under the Government of India rules. The extensions were granted as the candidates for the post of Deputy Director (Admn.) could not be selected by the Standing Selection Committee due to administrative reasons such as the Members and Expert Members were not available for the meeting on 30-1-1988, 3-6-88, 6-7-88, 13-7-88 and 4-8-88. (ii) Shri P. D. Kulkarni, Programmer has been granted extension for the first time only. The extension was granted in public interest as per existing rules.

(d) The Director, NIHFW has delegated powers in the administrative matters to the Deputy Director (Admn.) as per the bye-laws of the Institute.

(e) There is no proposal under consideration to withdraw such powers from the Institute. The Officers on deputation will be sent back to the parent offices as soon as suitable candidates are selected.

Air Hostesses and pilots having extra Marital relationship

4122. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL: Will the Minister of CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 1008 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 4th May, 1988 and state:

(a) to what extent Government's instructions in the Indian Airlines are being followed;

(b) what are the details of air-hostesses and Pilots identified as having extra marital relationship during the last one year; and

(c) what steps Government propose to take against them?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF CIVIL AVIATION AND TOURISM (SHRI SHIVRAJ PATIL): (a) Instiructions on the subject are being followed rigidly.

(b) No such case has come to notice during the last year;

(c) Does not arise.

Implementation of drug price control order

4123. SHRI RAJNI RANJAN SAHU: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have implemented Drug Price Control Order;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) if not, the reasons for non-implementation of the said Order?